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SUBJECT: INTERGOVERNMENTAL OCEANOGRAPHIC COMMISSION:
REGIONAL GROUPS FOR TEMA ACTIVITIES

REF: MOSCOW 9860

1. FOR INFO OF ADDRESSEES, BELYAYEV'S COMMENT IN PARA 2
OF REFTEL CONCERNING SOUTH AFRICA'S PARTICIPATION IN IOC
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WAS INCORRECT. UNESCO GENERAL CONFERENCE IN NOVEMBER 1976
VOTED NOT TO INVITE SOUTH AFRICA TO ANY IOC ACTIVITIES.
IOC EXECUTIVE COUNCIL IN APRIL 1977 VOTED TO RECOMMEND
TO THE IOC ASSEMBLY THAT IT REJECT A PROPOSED AMENDMENT
(BY SENEGAL ET AL) TO THE IOC STATUTES TO ALLOW EXPULSION
OF ANY IOC MEMBER STATE (READ SOUTH AFRICA) BY THE UNESCO
GENERAL CONFERENCE.

2. THE U.S. FIRMLY SUPPORTS THE PRINCIPLE OF UNIVERSALITY OF MEMBERSHIP IN THE IOC, AND BELIEVES THAT THE ORGANIZATION WILL BE STRENGTHENED BY THE INCLUSION OF EVERY STATE THAT CAN MAKE A SIGNIFICANT SUBSTANTIVE CONTRIBUTION TO ITS SCIENTIFIC WORK. THE U.S. POSITION IS THAT THE UNESCO GENERAL CONFERENCE DOES NOT HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO LEGISLATE THE EXCLUSION OF ANY BONA FIDE MEMBER OF THE IOC FROM ANY OF THE RIGHTS OF MEMBERSHIP OR FROM PARTICIPATION IN

ANY ACTIVITY OF THE IOC. WE BELIEVE THAT ANY STATE THAT IS A MEMBER OF THE IOC IS LEGALLY ENTITLED TO ALL RIGHTS OF MEMBERSHIP.

3. ACTION: DEPT. SEES NO NEED TO MAKE MAJOR ISSUE OF THIS WITH SOVIETS. IF EMBASSY CONSIDERS IT APPROPRIATE AND FINDS AN OPPORTUNE TIME, PLEASE SET THE RECORD STRAIGHT. USDEL TO IOC/TEMA DOES NOT INTEND TO MAKE AN ISSUE OF SOUTH AFRICA'S NON-INCLUSION, THOUGH IT MAY BE MENTIONED.

4. PARIS AND ROME: REFTEL BEING COPIED FOR YOUR INFO.

5. IN RESPONSE TO SLADKOV REQUEST FOR INFO ON PROPOSED US-USSR STUDY GROUP FOR NORTH PACIFIC, PLEASE TELL HIM WE'RE STILL TRYING TO GET INFO. WALLACE JUST RECENTLY LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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HAD A HEART ATTACK (FROM WHICH HE'S RECOVERING QUITE WELL) AND WE CAN'T APPROACH HIM YET ON THIS SUBJECT. VANCE

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